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Subject: **Annual Report on Obsolete, Unnecessary, or Duplicative Rules, as required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 14.05, Subdivision 5**

Minnesota Statutes, section 14.05, subdivision 5, states:

By December 1 of each year, an agency must submit to the governor, the legislative coordinating commission, the policy and funding committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the agency, and the revisor of statutes, a list of any rules or portions of rules that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules. The list must also include an explanation of why the rule or portion of the rule is obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules. By December 1, the agency must either report a timetable for repeal of the rule or portion of the rule or must develop a bill for submission to the appropriate policy committee to repeal the obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative rule. Such a bill must include proposed authorization to use the expedited procedures of section 14.389 to repeal or amend the obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative rule. A report submitted under this subdivision must be signed by the person in the agency who is responsible for identifying and initiating repeal of obsolete rules. The report must also identify

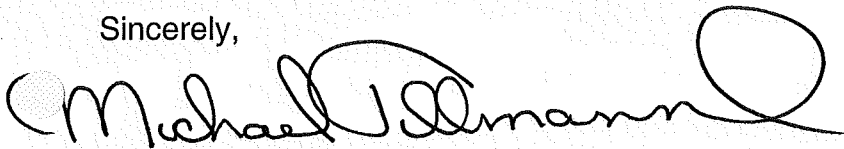
the status of any rules identified in the prior year's report as obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative. If none of the agency's rules are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative, an agency's December 1 report must state that conclusion.

At this time, we can identify no Board of Teaching rules that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative and that should, therefore, be repealed.

The Board of Teaching has, during the past two years, adopted new standards-based rules for teacher licensure, teacher license renewal, testing of new licensees, and institution/program approval for teacher preparation in compliance with Minnesota Statutes. During this process, obsolete and unnecessary/duplicative Board of Teaching rules and portions of rules have been repealed.

If you have questions regarding this report, please contact Michael Tillmann at the Minnesota Board of Teaching, 1500 Highway 36 West, Roseville, Minnesota 55113. The direct phone number is 651-582-8861; the fax number is 651-582-8872; and the electronic mail address is mike.tillmann@state.mn.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Michael L. Tillmann". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end of the last name.

Michael L. Tillmann
Executive Director

cc: Commissioner Christine Jax
Department of Children, Families, and Learning